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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

KOBAYASHI, Yoshihiro, et al.

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For: ZIRCONIUM CERAMIC MATERIAL,
OPTICAL FIBER CONNECTOR
MEMBER USING THE SAME, AND
METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

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